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December 3, 1909

1832

HAWAII.

Plague-prevention work.

Chief Quarantine Officer Hobdy reports, November 8:

HONOLULU.

Last case of rat plague: (Aiea) 9 miles from Honolulu, August 22, 1907.

Last case of human plague: Honolulu, July 17, 1907.

Week ended November 8, 1909.

Total rats taken.....	628
Trapped.....	516
Found dead.....	0
Shot from trees.....	112
Examined bacteriologically.....	462
Plague-infected rats found.....	0
Classification of rats trapped:	
Mus alexandrinus.....	75
Mus musculus.....	202
Mus norvegicus.....	48
Mus rattus.....	191
Average number of traps set daily.....	1, 294

HILO.

Last case rat plague: (Hanomu) Hilo, October 11, 1909.

Last case human plague: (Pepeekeo) Hilo, October 4, 1909.

ITALY.

Naples—Examination of emigrants—Smallpox.

Surgeon Geddings reports, November 8:

Vessels inspected at Naples and Palermo, week ended November 6, 1909.

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Nov. 3	Pannonia.....	New York.....			
4	San Giorgio.....	do.....	164	42	260
6	Sannio.....	do.....	440	53	475
	Total.....		604	95	735

PALERMO.

Nov. 5	San Giorgio.....	New York.....	447	700	150
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Rejections recommended.

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Trachoma.	Favus.	Suspected trachoma.	Suspected favus.	Other causes.	Total.
Nov. 3	Pannonia.....						
4	San Giorgio.....	2		3		1	6
6	Sannio.....	12	2	7		1	22
	Total.....	14	2	10		2	28

PALERMO.

Nov. 5	Sannio.....	32		40		5	77
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